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<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b>		Docket No. (Optional) IA00008	
In re Application of Juergen Reinold et al.			
Application Number 09/944,893		Filed August 31, 2001	
For: VEHICLE ACTIVE NETWORK WITH DATA ENCRYPTION			
Art Unit 2132		Examiner Cas P. Stulberger	

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	<b>RECEIVED</b> APR 27 2004 Technology Center 2100	\$ 110.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))		\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))		\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))		\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))		\$

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$

☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

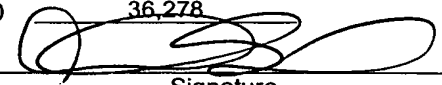
☐ The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 13-2855

I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

I am the ☐ applicant/inventor.  
☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.  
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).  
☐ attorney or agent of record. Registration Number  
☒ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).  
Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) 36,278

April 19, 2004  
Date  
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Signature  
Anthony G. Sitko  
Typed or printed name

NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below

<input type="checkbox"/> Total of 1 forms are submitted.
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